REPORT

of the

KENTUCKY SCHOOL for the BLIND

At

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

For the Year Ending
JUNE 30, 1931

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(In compliance with Statute this report is submitted to the Governor and General Assembly.)

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KENTUCKY SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

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Louisville, Ky., June 30, 1931.

To His Excellency,

Flem D. Sampson,

Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Honored Sir:

The accompanying report has been read and approved and formally adopted by the Board of Visitors of the Kentucky School for the Blind, as their regular report to you and the General Assembly.

With sentiments of the highest esteem, it is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Board of Visitors.

THOMAS M. HOWE, President.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

This has been a year of outstanding achievement and progress for the Kentucky School for the Blind.

Increased diligence in acquainting the parents of blind children in Kentucky with the opportunity for education and training offered by this Institution resulted in an increase in enrollment of 62% from ninety-six in the former year to one hundred fifty-six this year.

Considerable increase in the health of the children and great improvement in the atmosphere and reputation of the School by the way the children are treated resulted in a much larger percentage of attendance to total enrollment, the attendance this year having increased fifty-six per cent, being a still greater increase in attendance over that of last year than the enrollment increase.

A complete rehabilitation of the grading of the pupils and a thorough overhauling of the old arrangement of instruction has resulted in strengthening the obviously weak places in the former system of education in this Institution and in addition to allowing the children to show remarkable progress in this year's school work, has laid a firm foundation for still greater improvement along these lines next year.

During this past year a High School has been added with entering classes that will in due course give us graduates the equal of graduates from the seeing high schools of the State and prepare thoroughly enough that those of sufficient ability will be able to attend college.

Our School won third place in the city in the State Oratorical Contest. The Debating Team participated in twelve inter-school debates. Our team was defeated in the tournament by the team that went to the finals in the State meet.

Vocational training in the arts and trades together with strengthening of the courses in Domestic Science will enable us from now on to send out well trained students capable of self support.

For the first time, every pupil had a complete health examination and, the work formerly done in caring for the ill having been greatly strengthened and improved, the percentage of illness has very largely reduced this year. Directed athletics contributed its share while better

feeding and the addition of a mid-morning lunch resulted in the children being sent home at the end of the school year with an average increase in weight of approximately fifteen per cent and in so much better health than they were received at the Institution that many letters were received from grately parents stating that their children were apparently in most robust health they had been in their lives.

Development among the boys of track and field athletics resulted in the K. S. B. team overwhelming the Oakdale County School composed of seeing children.

Among extra curricula activities, in addition to the appropriate observation with special programs of national and state holidays, many hikes, picnics, and bus rides were provided for the pleasure and instruction of the pupils. Outstanding in this was the Christmas celebration with a towering tree, Santa Claus himself to distribute the gifts of which there were profusion, and a life sized Easter Bunny who conducted an outdoor egg hunt at Easter time with a nest arranged for every child.

Boy and girl scout work was given.

Entertainments of appropriate nature and of great interest to children were arranged each Sunday evening with the assistance of the following individuals and organizations:

Atherton Girls' High School.
Crescent Hill Male Chorus.
Mr. P. S. Durham.
Prof. Joseph A. Panther and Choir.
Tickets to Lecture of Count Von Luckner.
Pupils of Miss Rose Henley.
Orchestra, St. Xavier's College.
Miss Laura Weiss and Group.
Orchestra, Sisters of Mercy Academy
Knights of Columbus Band.
Mr. Charles G. Middleton, Local Manager, Chicago Civic Opera Company.
Roxy and Schumann Heink Concerts.
Music Committee, Louisville Woman's Club.
King Male Quartette under auspices of Y. M. C. A.
Mr. Paul Harris, Secretary, National Council for the Prevention of War.
Mr. Harry Martin, Manager, Brown Theatre.
Mr. Fred Dolle, President, 4th Avenue Amusement Company.
Junior Order Band, United American Mechanics.
Courier-Journal and Louisville Times Carriers.
Entertainers from Studio of Miss Sarah E. Lee.
Miss Nell McBride, Mr. Albert O'Daly, Miss Gazzolo.
Miss Grace McCormack, Miss Marjorie Mix.
Miss Josephine Peake and group from Neighborhood House.

Groups from studios of Miss Oechsli and Mr. Lombardo.
Circus performers and clowns, courtesy of Ben Snyder Department Store.
Colonel C. T. Minor, Louisville Taxicab Co.
Colonial Stages, Consolidated Bus Company.
Orchestra, Sacred Heart Academy. Louisville Conservatory of Music.
Mr. Frank Miller, Louisville Railway Company. Hilltop Movie House.
Rin Tin Tin, courtesy of Rialto Theatre. Entertainers from WHAS.

For the cut and dried Sunday morning "Chapel Exercises" were substituted attendance at a Sunday School of a denomination selected by the pupil or his parents. The benefit to the children of contact with seeing children has proven invaluable in their mental and spiritual development. In this work, we have been greatly assisted by committees from the various churches.

Groups of our small children have frequently assisted this year in the Sunday School radio program over the radiophone of the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times, WHAS.

Rigid economies have been observed and changes which will greatly increase the efficiency of the Institution inaugurated. For instance, at an expenditure of approximately four thousand dollars, changes in the heating system were made which resulted in a saving of fuel costs alone the first year of $2,518.77, which saving will be repeated in each subsequent year for many years to come. In spite of this, the heating arrangements of the building, while still far from ideal, have been greatly improved to the comfort of the children.

In spite of these economies and the fact that 60% more children have been provided with food, clothing, instruction, medical care, and all the other needs of growing children in the process of being educated, our teachers are underpaid and it is obvious that if the increases in attendance at this Institution which are actually in sight, as a result of the widespread knowledge among the parents of blind children of this State and the much higher esteem in which it is being held, seriously over crowded conditions will soon be suffered.

This year the per capita cost has been decreased 38%, but in spite of this it is obvious that if the State of Kentucky is to educate and train to be self-supporting the blind children of its citizens, a larger appropriation will be necessary than that which was fixed when the attendance of the School was smaller.

THOMAS M. HOWE, President.

REGULAR ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF VISITORS OF THE KENTUCKY SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

To His Excellency,

Flem D. Sampson,

Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Sir:

The number of pupils under our charge during the past year in the White Department was one hundred and thirty-five, and in the Colored Department was twenty-one, making in all one hundred and fifty-six.

THE NAMES AND RESIDENCES OF THOSE IN THE WHITE DEPARTMENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Names	Residences
Adams, Alice	Louisville
Adams, R. T.	Fayette County
Allen, Sammie	Magoffin County
Allen, Woodrow	Magoffin County
Anderson, Wallace	Letcher County
Arnold, Jack	Louisville
Baker, Mitchell	Breathitt County
Ball, Etta May	Louisville
Ball, Velma	Louisville
Bates, Maxine	Pulaski County
Bates, Woodrow	Pulaski County
Bearden, Stanley	Barren County
Begley, Adam	Leslie County
Begley, Sam	Leslie County
Black, Virgil	Harlan County
Bowling, Clyde	Harlan County
Brown, Rufus	Whitley County
Buckner, Curtis	Rowan County
Cain, Cecilia	Campbell County
Cain, Robert	Campbell County
Cain, William	Campbell County
Campbell, Adam	Breathitt County
Campbell, Alvin	Breathitt County
Campbell, Ernest	Pike County

Cannon, Ellen Hayes ..... Lyon County
Carnahan, Willard ..... Clay County
Combs, Burt ..... Letcher County
Combs, Ethel ..... Fayette County
Cooper, Spurgeon ..... Louisville
Cox, Ned ..... Kenton County
Coyle, Nina ..... Boyle County
Crawford, Robert ..... Perry County
Davis, Clyde ..... Pike County
Davis, Eloise ..... Union County
Davis, Glen ..... Pike County
Davis, Hubert ..... Johnson County
Day, Margaret ..... Muhlenberg County
Dunaway, Cleo ..... Grant County
Durbin, Edwin ..... Louisville
Edds, Madelon ..... Louisville
Edwards, Patience ..... Lincoln County
Fannin, Ray ..... Greenup County
Farmer, Valera ..... Harlan County
Felts, Hobart ..... Whitley County
Fields, Richmond ..... Perry County
Foley, Wolford ..... Whitley County
Fraim, Richard ..... McLean County
Frazier, Henrietta ..... Letcher County
Fuller, Horace ..... Fayette County
Gibson, Emmett ..... Letcher County
Grider, Edna Emma ..... Russell County
Griffin, E. B., Jr. ..... Estill County
Grissom, Josephine ..... Fulton County
Hall, Darrell ..... Pike County
Hall, R. B. ..... Pike County
Hall, Thelma ..... Pike County
Hammond, Mabel ..... Perry County
Hammond, Woodrow ..... Perry County
Hampton, Eddie ..... Lewis County
Haynes, Roy ..... Louisville
Hicks, Helen ..... Harrison County
Hooker, Ernest ..... Clay County
Hooker, Roy ..... Clay County
Jackson, Julia ..... Louisville
Jennings, Sarah ..... Louisville
Johnson, George ..... Estill County
Johnson, Ora ..... Morgan County
Johnson, William ..... Estill County

Jones, Stella ..... Fayette County
Key, Addie ..... Edmonson County
Kimbler, Sloan ..... Harlan County
Kimbler, Virginia ..... Harlan County
Kramer, Louis ..... Kenton County
Krisch, Richard ..... Louisville
Lilley, Dixon ..... Hopkins County
Lilley, Doyal ..... Hopkins County
Martin, Edward ..... Louisville
Martin, Verna ..... Boyd County
Martin, Zola May ..... Montgomery County
Masters, Bartner ..... Jessamine County
McCoy, Edna Ruth ..... Louisville
McIntosh, Bill ..... Perry County
McIntosh, Lula ..... Breathitt County
McIntosh, Marie ..... Breathitt County
McIntosh, William ..... Breathitt County
McKennzie, Bruce ..... Morgan County
Miller, Bessie ..... Knott County
Miller, Gracie ..... Knott County
Morris, Ollie May ..... Perry County
Morrow, Dorothy ..... Louisville
Newcomb, Lester ..... Lincoln County
Noble, Alfred ..... Louisville
Noble, Oscar ..... Louisville
Osborne, Henry Davis ..... Louisville
Parker, Josephine ..... Louisville
Parker, Willie Marie ..... Louisville
Patton, Gladys ..... Montgomery County
Plummer, Bradford ..... Johnson County
Poff, Evelyn ..... Knox County
Powell, Dorothy ..... Fayette County
Reagan, Harold ..... Louisville
Richardson, Doris ..... Louisville
Riley, Willie ..... Perry County
Rodgers, Christine ..... Graves County
Rose, Caesar ..... Lee County
Rose, Elmer ..... Breathitt County
Rose, Rebecca ..... Daviess County
Saunders, Laura ..... Floyd County
Shepherd, Vitress ..... Letcher County
Shinall, Charles ..... Webster County
Smith, Arlie D. ..... Louisville
Smith, Essie ..... Daviess County
Smith, Lonnie ..... Ohio County
Snodgrass, Oral ..... Ohio County

Snodgrass, Orville ..... Ohio County
Staton, John, Jr. ..... Clinton County
Steeley, Pearl ..... Whitley County
Stewart, Henry Boyce ..... Harlan County
Swanson, Geneva ..... Clay County
Sweet, Margaret ..... Louisville
Taylor, James Robert ..... Ohio County
Thornsberry, Cossie ..... Knott County
Tracey, Charles ..... Franklin County
Trusty, Dan ..... Breathitt County
Turner, Wilma ..... Henry County
Wallace, Helen ..... Boyle County
Wayland, Bertha ..... Adair County
Wellman, Bromley ..... Greenup County
Wilder, Rosetta ..... Knox County
Wilhoit, Seborn ..... Fayette County
Williams, Hugh ..... Muhlenberg County
Williams, Woodrow ..... Daviess County
Wood, Thelma ..... Whitley County
Wyatt, Louvena ..... Whitley County
Zipp, Robert ..... Louisville

THE NAMES AND RESIDENCES OF THOSE IN THE COLORED DEPARTMENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Names	Residences
Anderson, Lois	Louisville
Brooks, John	Louisville
Chatman, George	Hopkins County
Cochrum, Edward	Perry County
Dishman, Shelby	Fayette County
Estill, Mary M.	Clark County
Fielding, Mary E.	Daviess County
Greathouse, James E.	Louisville
Holton, Bennie Clay	Louisville
Jones, Paul	Adair County
Marshall, Francis	Louisville
McCall, Wilburt	Henderson County
McGuire, William	Daviess County
McKee, Elmer	Laurel County
Ross, Jennie V.	Louisville
Tyler, John	Louisville
Watts, Gladys	Louisville
West, James E.	Fayette County
White, Emma May	Louisville
Williams, Archo	Perry County
Williams, Micheal	Daviess County

OUR STAFF INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING:

Miss Catherine T. Moriarty, Superintendent, with a salary of $250.00 per month.

Miss Mary Louise Maloney, Secretary, with a salary of $50.00 per month. (Part Time.)

Miss Edith A. Ries, Office Assistant, with a salary of $65.00 per month.

Mrs. Alberta R. Charlton, Matron, with a salary of $85.00 per month.

Mrs. Ella Moore, Matron, with a salary of $65.00 per month.

Mr. Henry C. Smith, Principal-Teacher, with a salary of $200.00 per month.

Miss Lydia Scoggan, Teacher, with a salary of $137.00 per month.

Miss M. Blye Allan, Teacher, with a salary of $135.00 per month.

Miss Susie Rarick, Teacher of Kindergarten, with a salary of $120.00 per month.

Mrs. Ruth T. Harris, Teacher, with a salary of $90.00 per month.

Mrs. Margaret S. Traub, Teacher, with a salary of $122.00 per month.

Miss Florence L. Lewis, Teacher and Field Worker, with a salary of $120.00 per month.

Mrs. Irene R. Miller, Teacher, with a salary of $55 per month.

Miss Vernette W. Scoggan, Teacher of Sewing and Domestic Science, with a salary of $100.00 per month. (Part Time).

Miss Margaret McLeish, Teacher of Music, with a salary of $65.00 per month.

Miss Daisy Wallace, Teacher of Music, with a salary of $40 per month.

Mr. Samuel Richie, Teacher of Music, with a salary of $85.00 per month.

Mr. Elwood Short, Teacher of Piano Tuning, with a salary of $60.00 per month.

Mr. George Lutz, Teacher of Shop Work, with a salary of $135.00 per month. (Part Time).

Mr. Lofton Knight, Teacher of Physical Training, with a salary of $125.00 per month.

Miss Mary A. Barrett, Seamstress, with a salary of $70.00 per month.

Miss Lucy May Gunning, Girls' Governess, with a salary of $45.00 per month.

Mrs. Violet Tharpe, Boys' Governess, with a salary of $50.00 per month.

Mrs. Lucy McGinnis, Boys' Supervisor, with a salary of $45.00 per month.

Mrs. Sophie Ebinger, General Assistant, with a salary of $36.00 per month.

Robert Fawbush, Engineer and Gardener,with a salary of $125.00 per month.

Louis Stafford, Assistant Engineer and Gardener, with a salary of $2.50 per day.

Valentine Buechel, Night Watchman, with a salary of $110.00 per month.

Thomas West, Night Watchman, with a salary of $65.00 per month.

Molly Curry, Night Watchwoman, with a salary of $50.00 per month.

Emma Stafford, Cook, with a salary of $65.00 per month.

Clara Murphey, Cook, with a salary of $60.00 per month.

Mary Julius, Kitchen Maid, with a salary of $36.00 per month.

Tillie Bruch, Dining-room Maid, with a salary of $40.00 per month.
Mary Sowder, Dining-room Maid, with a salary of $35.00 per month.
Minnie Proctor, Dining-room Maid, with a salary of $35.00 per month.
Molly McCormack, Housemaid, with a salary of $38.00 per month.
Mary Woulfe, Housemaid, with a salary of $38.00 per month.
Mary M. Woulfe, Housemaid, with a salary of $38.00 per month.
Katie Gunning, Housemaid, with a salary of $35.00 per month.
Margaret Miller, Housemaid, with a salary of $35.00 per month.
Maggie Byrnes, Laundress, with a salary of $40.00 per month.
Nora Willis, Laundress, with a salary of $35.00 per month.
George Scott, Houseman, with a salary of $50.00 per month.
Will Wellings, Houseman, with a salary of $50.00 per month.
Henry James, Outdoor Man, with a salary of $55.00 per month.

Colored Department:

Mary I. Delany, Matron, with a salary of $85.00 per month.
Emma Lang Teacher, with a salary of $45.00 per month.
Elizabeth Minnis, Teacher, with a salary of $60.00 per month.
Otis Eades, Teacher of Music, with a salary of $50.00 per month.
Olivia Wood, Cook, with a salary of $40.00 per month.
Pearl Cochran, Laundress, with a salary of $32.00 per month.
Louis Wood, Houseman, with a salary of $50.00 per month.

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931.
White Department

	July	August	September	October	November	December
Salaries	$557.61	$530.00	$2252.50	$2346.13	$2352.80	$2350.00
Wages	881.02	870.35	1016.84	1101.89	1105.00	1111.65
Extra Labor	2.14	.....	4.50	22.75	.....	.....
Dry goods and clothing	606.29	6.98	258.07	33.80	14.45	16.95
Household and kitchen furniture	382.00	618.79	436.64	279.05	112.63	36.49
Books and stationery	7.00	172.80	83.52	109.02	38.45	4.36
Groceries	63.08	19.10	303.26	500.21	355.10	356.77
Breadstuffs	16.32	8.21	96.74	211.28	158.56	153.11
Meat, fowl, fish and game	70.25	40.90	149.69	258.23	240.56	223.44
Fruits, vegetables, milk and ice	61.04	37.62	224.39	363.59	327.20	311.74
Confectioneries	3.10	.75	20.95	59.03	25.78	52.76
Drugs, medicine and professional services	13.00	.....	425.95	64.35	35.70	9.10
Telephone	17.54	15.34	25.88	8.52	8.92	10.10
Vehicles and garden supplies	24.65	13.13	18.32	10.42	12.00	16.90
Laundry	.....	148.75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Postage	15.00	18.00	8.89	8.00	10.00	12.00
Traveling expenses	232.85	115.32	179.21	146.88	21.25	25.67
Expenses on live stock	5.04	.....	10.86	5.04	2.00	4.50
Amusements	.....	.....	.....	1.30	.....	1.00
Building and repairs	266.08	644.36	2203.15	296.96	485.71	842.74
Material for workshop	.....	.....	44.10	15.47	29.43	.84
Funeral expenses	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Insurance	29.77	.....	236.50	975.87	871.20	246.73
Interest	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fuel and light	111.40	50.93	70.20	108.47	283.01	509.27
Water rent	9.55	11.83	7.01	24.57	41.29	37.99
Tuning and repairing musical instruments	.....	.....	53.59	5.10	.74	.....
Incidentals	.....	.....	7.40	13.00	.....	3.00
Sundries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	$3374.73	$3323.16	$8138.16	$6968.93	$6531.78	$6337.11

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931.
White Department

	January	February	March	April	May	June	Total
Salaries	$2,348.84	$2,350.00	$2,350.00	$2,347.07	$2,315.00	$2,326.00	$24,425.95
Wages	1,102.75	1,068.48	1,079.71	1,088.90	1,071.66	976.23	12,474.48
Extra Labor	.....	31.55	15.61	8.75	2.50	2.10	89.90
Dry goods and clothing	6.70	7.40	7.00	10.45	27.11	320.22	1,315.42
Household and kitchen furniture	28.68	56.57	75.91	.35	44.94	139.34	2,211.39
Books and stationery	76.20	102.64	38.15	20.80	7.63	468.40	1,128.97
Groceries	346.45	294.66	352.00	315.52	284.17	106.16	3,296.48
Breadstuffs	140.69	154.42	148.01	151.66	148.42	44.11	1,431.53
Meat, fowl, fish and game	219.63	196.34	207.26	205.59	211.50	74.84	2,098.23
Fruits, vegetables, milk and ice	347.94	316.44	379.49	383.71	370.28	75.65	3,199.09
Confectioneries	15.78	18.32	28.14	13.73	18.15	8.09	264.58
Drugs, medicine and professional services	16.10	9.65	114.66	68.16	8.25	4.30	769.22
Telephone	9.34	9.60	8.44	9.21	8.44	13.05	144.38
Vehicles and garden supplies	12.76	25.56	6.64	9.36	43.14	8.11	200.99
Laundry	.....	20.38	12.13	.....	.....	98.05	279.31
Postage	6.00	9.00	6.00	13.50	10.00	7.00	123.39
Traveling expenses	2.60	12.50	14.05	12.50	172.35	42.90	978.08
Expenses on live stock	.....	4.80	14.40	5.63	5.10	2.64	60.01
Amusements	.....	.....	.....	1.25	1.00	38.45	43.00
Building and repairs	936.72	779.13	32.36	1.35	.60	41.65	6,530.81
Material for workshop	.....	.....	.....	2.38	.65	3.00	95.87
Funeral expenses	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Insurance	86.21	188.01	171.79	415.93	.....	.....	3,222.01
Interest	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fuel and light	423.79	328.09	365.09	208.68	138.37	.....	2,597.30
Water rent	37.45	44.42	55.39	51.63	40.33	38.15	399.61
Tuning and repairing musical instruments	7.35	42.00	1.81	4.75	3.56	20.30	139.20
Incidentals	8.90	3.00	10.00	2.20	.....	11.20	58.70
Sundries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	$6,180.88	$6,072.96	$5,494.04	$5,353.06	$4,933.15	$4,869.94	$67,577.90

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931.
Colored Department

	July	August	September	October	November	December
Salaries			$240.00	$240.00	$240.00	$240.00
Wages	90.00	90.00	106.00	122.00	122.00	122.00
Extra Labor						
Dry goods and clothing	61.77		1.47	9.74	11.70	6.50
Household and kitchen furniture	64.80	3.92	7.84	3.92	4.22	56.57
Books and stationery						8.80
Groceries	6.95	7.74	78.98	58.31	51.63	46.39
Breadstuffs	3.59	2.20	9.18	26.15	21.73	26.56
Meat, fowl, fish and game	8.43	6.86	10.66	32.72	27.53	32.56
Fruits, vegetables, milk and ice	5.40	4.22	21.28	56.00	44.87	48.69
Confectioneries				.66		2.03
Drugs, medicine and professional services				.75	20.00	
Telephone	7.50	7.50	7.50	6.25	7.50	7.50
Vehicles and garden supplies						
Laundry					3.18	
Postage	6.98			4.00		
Traveling expenses			2.71	1.91	8.34	
Expenses on live stock						
Amusements						1.00
Building and repairs	7.16	5.25	48.77			
Material for workshop			7.95			
Funeral expenses						
Insurance				133.51	140.05	30.19
Interest						
Fuel and light	28.29	10.54	14.00	18.23	94.80	177.44
Water rent	3.81	1.49	1.30	1.44	2.58	2.58
Tuning and repairing musical instruments					2.00	
Incidentals					3.00	
Sundries						
Total	$294.63	$139.72	$557.64	$715.59	$805.13	$808.81

EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931.
Colored Department

	January	February	March	April	May	June	Total
Salaries	$240.00	$240.00	$240.00	$240.00	$240.00	$240.00	$2,400.00
Wages	122.00	112.00	122.00	122.00	122.00	127.00	1,379.00
Extra Labor	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dry goods and clothing	2.50	6.38	.65	4.55	7.27	.....	112.53
Household and kitchen furniture	4.41	.....	9.75	.....	2.84	.....	158.27
Books and stationery	12.25	5.16	.....	12.86	.....	5.75	44.82
Groceries	61.38	72.13	73.51	57.52	54.72	11.53	580.79
Breadstuffs	22.77	25.74	25.18	25.25	22.77	9.04	220.16
Meat, fowl, fish and game	30.29	21.68	23.58	26.72	23.32	10.93	255.28
Fruits, vegetables, milk and ice	47.29	41.41	55.61	51.29	47.84	13.55	443.45
Confectioneries	.....	2.03	.90	1.78	1.00	.....	8.40
Drugs, medicine and professional services	9.52	.....	5.00	.....	.....	2.96	38.23
Telephone	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	10.00	91.25
Vehicles and garden supplies	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Laundry	.....	.....	.....	2.85	.....	.....	6.03
Postage	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.98
Traveling expenses	.....	.....	4.17	4.25	17.72	.....	39.10
Expenses on live stock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amusements	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00
Building and repairs	.54	.....	2.10	1.35	.....	.....	65.17
Material for workshop	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.95
Funeral expenses	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Insurance	70.53	23.00	21.02	53.34	.....	.....	471.64
Interest	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fuel and light	148.02	129.65	149.78	75.51	45.95	.....	892.21
Water rent	2.45	2.31	1.44	2.45	2.45	2.04	26.34
Tuning and repairing musical instruments	.....	.....	.....	2.75	.....	25.00	29.75
Incidentals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00
Sundries	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	$781.45	$694.99	$742.19	$691.97	$595.38	$457.80	$7,285.35

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
For Year Ending June 30, 1931

Receipts

Warrants from the State of Kentucky	$74,500.00
Miscellaneous Receipts Deposited	363.25
Total Receipts	$74,863.25

Disbursements

White Department	$67,577.90
Colored Department	7,285.35
Total Disbursements	$74,863.25

EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931

1930		
July	White Department	$3,374.73
July	Colored Department	294.68
August	White Department	3,323.16
August	Colored Department	139.72
September	White Department	8,138.16
September	Colored Department	557.64
October	White Department	6,968.93
October	Colored Department	715.59
November	White Department	6,531.78
November	Colored Department	805.13
December	White Department	6,337.11
December	Colored Department	808.81
1931		
January	White Department	6,180.88
January	Colored Department	781.45
February	White Department	6,072.96
February	Colored Department	694.99
March	White Department	5,494.04
March	Colored Department	742.19
April	White Department	5,353.06
April	Colored Department	691.97
May	White Department	4,933.15
May	Colored Department	595.38
June	White Department	4,869.94
June	Colored Department	457.80
Total Expenditures for Year		$74,863.25

Total Receipts from State	$74,500.00	
Miscellaneous Receipts	363.25	
Total Receipts for Year		$74,863.25

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF VISITORS

The following is a list of those who have held office in the Board of Visitors since the foundation of the institution:

W. F. Bullock ..... 1842 to 1864 and from 1873 to 1889
T. S. Bell, M. D. ..... 1842 to 1849
Samuel Casseday ..... 1842 to 1849
John I. Jacobs ..... 1842 to 1846
James Pickett ..... 1842 to 1843
Bryce M. Patton ..... 1842 to 1843
Edward Jarvis, M. D. ..... 1842 to 1843
William Richardson ..... 1842 to 1847
Garnet Duncan ..... 1842 to 1843
Rev. Geo. W. Bush ..... 1843 to 1845 and from 1864 to 1867
Charles J. Clark ..... 1843 to 1852
Rev. Edw. P. Humphrey, S. C. ..... 1845 to 1856
Wm. F. Pettit ..... 1846 to 1849
Wm. Kendrick ..... 1848 to 1853 and from 1864 to 1880
Lewis Ruffner ..... 1849 to 1858
Bland Ballard ..... 1849 to 1864
Rev. J. R. Breckinridge, D. D. ..... 1852 to 1860
William Tanner ..... 1852 to 1856
William S. Bodley ..... 1856 to 1864
Wm. Garnett ..... 1857 to 1860
John Milton ..... 1858 to 1860
John G. Barret ..... 1864 to 1873
Rev. John L. McKee, D. D. ..... 1864 to 1867
Rev. D. P. Henderson, D. D. ..... 1864 to 1865
Floyd Parks ..... 1864 to 1865
W. B. Belknap ..... 1865 to 1867
James Harrison ..... 1867 to 1888
S. A. Atchison ..... 1867 to 1869
Hon. Henry Stites ..... 1867 to 1888
Hon. Thomas E. Bramlette ..... 1867 to 1875
J. B. McFerran ..... 1869 to 1870
Hon. Alfred T. Pope ..... 1870 to 1874
Z. M. Sherley ..... 1873 to 1879
G. H. Cochran ..... 1873 to 1889
Rev. J. H. Heywood ..... 1879 to 1896
T. L. Jefferson ..... 1874 to 1884
W. N. Haldeman ..... 1875 to 1889
John A. Carter ..... 1880 to 1894
John P. Morton ..... 1880 to 1888
Hon. A. A. Stoll ..... 1884 to 1888
Thos. D. Osborne ..... 1885 to 1888 and from 1904 to 1914
Rt. Rev. T. U. Dudley, D. D. ..... 1888 to 1896
Hon. A. P. Humphrey ..... 1886 to 1896

Hon. James S. Pirtle .....1888 to 1896
Col. Chas. F. Johnson .....1888 to 1891
Benj. Bayless .....1888 to 1891
Robert Cochran .....1888 to 1896
Oscar Fenley .....1889 to 1896
Wm. A. Robinson .....1891 to 1896
Col. Andrew Cowan .....1896 to 1900 and from 1908 to 1912
Chas. T. Ballard .....1896 to 1900
James A. Leach .....1896 to 1900
Dr. L. S. McMurtry .....1896 to 1900
Rev. A. Moses, D. D. .....1896 to 1902
M. Muldoon .....1896 to 1900
Logan C. Murray .....1896 to 1900 and from 1908 to 1912
Gen'l Bennett H. Young .....1900 to 1908 and from 1912 to 1919
Thos. L. Jefferson .....1900 to 1908 and from 1912 to 1925
Dr. James G. Steedman .....1900 to 1908 and from 1912 to 1914
Walter Walker .....1900 to 1908
Hon. Henry S. Barker .....1900 to 1908
Dr. Frank C. Simpson .....1900 to 1908
Col. Zack Phelps .....1900 to 1902
Henry Kauffman .....1902 to 1912
Daniel S. Mills .....1908 to 1910
Frank N. Hartwell .....1908 to 1912
D. W. Farleigh .....1908 to 1912
Dr. S. Brozozowski .....1908 to 1912
D. X. Murphy .....1910 to 1912
W. Garnet Munn .....1910 to 1912
Charles P. Weaver .....1912 to 1919
T. C. Timberlake .....1912 to 1919
John C. Cox .....1912 to 1914
W. H. Bartholomew .....1912 to 1914
T. P. Satterwhite, Jr. .....1912 to 1914
W. S. Kaltenbacher .....1914 to 1930
Henry Y. Offutt .....1900 to 1908
Muir Weissinger .....1919 to 1920
E. R. Attkinson .....1919 to 1920
Pauline Eckenroth .....1919 to 1920
John Marshall .....1920 to 1922
Walter K. Belknap .....1920 to 1930
Wm. S. Speed .....1920 to 1927
Henry D. Ormsby .....1922 to 1930
Richard R. Williams.....1925 to 1927
Stanley A. Berry .....1927 to 1930
Col. Henry O. Gray .....April 1930 to June 1930
Robert H. Lucas, Sr. .....April 1930 to July 1930

Dr. T. M. Howe .....1930 to ——
Mrs. Ray G. Ratterman .....1930 to ——
Mrs. W. G. Dearing .....1930 to ——
Robert L. Hawes .....1930 to ——
Edgar W. Busath .....1930 to ——

THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT HAS BEEN HELD BY:

Hon. Wm. F. Bullock .....1842 to 1864 and from 1885 to 1888
Dr. T. S. Bell .....1864 to 1885
Hon. James S. Pirtle .....1888 to 1896
Col. Andrew Cowan .....1896 to 1900
Gen'l Bennett H. Young .....1900 to 1908
Col. Andrew Cowan .....1908 to 1912
Gen'l Bennett H. Young .....1912 to 1919
T. L. Jefferson .....1919 to 1925
H. D. Ormsby .....1925 to April 17, 1930
Col. Henry O. Gray .....April 17, 1930 to June 30, 1930
Dr. T. M. Howe .....1930 to ——

THE OFFICE OF TREASURER HAS BEEN HELD AS FOLLOWS:

Samuel Casseday .....1842 to 1843
William Richardson .....1843 to 1854
John Milton .....1854 to 1860
John G. Barret .....1860 to 1890
William S. Parker .....1890 to 1899
Logan C. Murray .....1899 to 1900
Thos. L. Jefferson .....1900 to 1908
Logan C. Murray .....1908 to 1912
Albert S. Rice .....1912 to 1915
Frank M. Gettys .....1915 to 1919
William R. Cobb .....1919 to ——

THE OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT HAS BEEN HELD AS FOLLOWS:

Bryce M. Patton .....1842 to 1871
B. B. Huntoon .....1871 to 1912
Susan B. Merwin .....1912 to 1923
C. B. Martin .....1923 to 1930
Catherine T. Moriarty .....1930 to ——

REPORT

of the

Kentucky Workshop

for the

Adult Blind

at

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1931

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The two-fold purpose of the Kentucky Workshop for the Adult Blind is to train adults to be self-supporting and to do work that they can perform and sell to furnish employment for such of those who for one reason or another cannot well find employment in other places or in shops of their own.

Major improvements in equipment and far reaching improvements in organization and management this year have made it possible to give employment to 56% more men and women than it was possible to formerly employ.

It has been found possible slightly to increase the meager pay of the blind people employed but to decrease the payroll of the sighted persons whom it is necessary to employ to assist and instruct.

Entering this year with inventories of finished products so heavy that the necessity for a shut-down of the plant with its resultant distress on the part of the blind dependent on it for a livelihood, vigorous selling methods and far reaching improvements in management mentioned above resulted in the increase of employment noted, and in spite of greatly reduced selling prices of the products forced by general conditions and outside competition, an increase in sales for the year of twenty-four per cent, ($5278.48).

It is felt that economies effected and improvements instituted will result in the ability to employ even more blind and to train still larger numbers to go out and operate shops of their own, and to become entirely self-supporting without increase of appropriation.

THOMAS M. HOWE, President.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
For Year Ending June 30, 1931

Assets

FIXED

Workshop Machinery and Equipment	$ 4,823.92	
Store, Hall and Apartment Equipment	397.29	
Automotive Equipment	150.00	
Real Estate	4,500.00	
Buildings	56,325.62	
		$ 66,196.83

CURRENT

Cash	$ 4,830.19	
Petty Cash	250.00	
Accounts Receivable	2,292.63	
		7,372.82

INVENTORIES

Brooms Finished	$ 1,141.92	
Broom Material	1,786.45	
Mops Finished	589.55	
Mop Material	152.01	
Upholstery Finished	3.75	
Upholstery Material	242.87	
Women's Industries Finished	2,303.59	
Women's Industries Material	302.73	
Brushes Finished	1,342.85	
Brush Material	303.82	
		8,169.54

INVESTMENTS

Kentucky State Warrants		50,230.96
Total Assets June 30, 1931		$131,970.15

Liabilities

Current Liabilities	$339.13	
Deficit and Surplus	107,981.88	
Total Liabilities June 30, 1931		339.13
Net Worth June 30, 1931		$131,631.02

CAPITAL FUND

State Appropriations	$239,612.90	
Deficit and Surplus	107,981.88	
	$131,631.02	$131,631.02

Our Staff Included The Following:

Mr. Samuel Merwin, Foreman, with a salary of $150.00 per month.

Mr. Clarence Lucas, Assistant Foreman, with a salary of $115.00 per month.

Miss Mary Louise Maloney, Bookkeeper, with a salary of $75.00 per month. (Part Time.)

Mr. Harbin Likens, Teacher, with a salary of $100.00 per month.

Mr. George A. Lutz, Carpenter and Teacher, with a salary of $50.00 per month. (Part Time.)

Miss Vernette Scoggan, Supervisor of Women's Work, with a salary of $60.00 per month. (Part Time.)

Mrs. Lillian Starr, Saleswoman, with a salary of $60.00 per month.

Mrs. Lee Shindlebower, Women's Worker, with a salary of $40 per month.

Archie Wells, Chauffeur and Porter, with a salary of $75.00 per month.

BLIND WOMEN WHO HAVE BEEN TRAINED AND EMPLOYED

Charity Abner	Powell County
Bell Allen	Marshall County
Rosa Allen	Marshall County
Mrs. W. C. Carpenter	Boyle County
Sadie Hawkins	Anderson County
Lizzie Herald	Breathitt County
Aileen M. Kerr	Kenton County
Clara M. Lile	Green County
Anna Ross	Campbell County
Mrs. Marion Sandlin	Breathitt County
Minerva Sims	Boyle County
Delia Smithers	Louisville
Allice Stroud	Louisville
May Sunderland	Whitley County
Hettie Wilkens	Muhlenberg County
Sarah Spencer (Colored)	Oldham County

BLIND MEN WHO HAVE BEEN TRAINED AND EMPLOYED

John Bolin	Hickman County
Charles Cardwell	Pike County
Charles Denton	Louisville
Henry Dodson	Louisville
Edward Duerr	Louisville
Reynolds Gaunce	Carlisle County
John Grimes	Louisville
Minion Harrison	Louisville
David Hurst	Louisville
Harbin Likens (U. S. Veterans' Bureau)	Ohio County
Ernest Moore	Louisville
George Randles	Louisville
Samuel Reynolds	Louisville
Thomas Reynolds	Louisville
Wesley Reynolds	Louisville
John Ritchie	Louisville
Frank Russell	Louisville
Charles Taylor	Hart County
William Walker	Louisville
Tillie Wester	Louisville
Roy Wooten	Perry County
William Wooten	Perry County
Robert Zipp	Louisville
Louis Broadus (Colored)	Louisville
Henry Woodruff (Colored)	Henderson County

Mr. Robert H. Lucas, Sr., member of the Board of Visitors, Passed away July 17, 1930.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Board:

WHEREAS: An All-wise Providence has taken from us, our Associate, Mr. Robert H. Lucas, Sr., and one so earnestly devoted to the welfare of the blind, be it

RESOLVED: That the Kentucky School for the Blind has lost a most valuable member, and all the blind, a true and faithful friend; and that we, as members of the Board of Visitors will also miss his wise and conservative counsel, and that the State has lost a valuable public servant, and in our testimonial of his high character and his ardent desire of usefulness, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and a copy of same be sent to his widow and son.

THOS. M. HOWE, President
MRS. RAY G. RATTERMAN, Secretary
MRS. W. G. DEARING
R. L. HAWES.